

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of :
Toshiyuki WADA et al. : **Mail Stop: PCT**
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IMAGE RECORDING APPARATUS AND
IMAGE RECORDING METHOD, AND IMAGE
RECEIVING LAYER TRANSFERER AND IMAGE
FORMING MEDIUM USED FOR THEM
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Sir:

**Prior to initial examination of the above-identified application, kindly
amend the application as follows:**